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Attention: Physicians
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Alabama Medicaid Agency Provider Notice 02-01 dated January 14, 2002, regarding the prior authorization for Oral Sustained-release Opioid Agonists has been withdrawn effective immediately. At this time, the only restriction imposed upon the drugs Oxycontin®, MS Contin®, Kadian® and Oramorph SR® are maximum quantity limitations for a thirty-day supply. You will be notified of any future changes regarding the restrictions for this class of drugs.

If you have any questions, please call the Alabama Medicaid Agency Pharmacy Program at (334) 242-5034 or Health Information Designs, Inc. at 1-800-748-0130.

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